for production of trout seed and grant-in-aid to Himachal Pradesh Krishi Vishwa Vidyalaya, Palampur fo revolving suitable pisciculture techniques for high altitude waters. The total outlay during 1991-92 for above mentioned two schemes is Rs. 9.8 lakhs. Under Special Central Assistance Scheme, 50 per cent subsidy is also provided for construction of fish ponds by tribal people in the area. The total outlay during 1991-92 for the above mentioned Special Central Assisted Scheme is Rs. 1.2 lakhs for construction of ponds by the tribal people and Rs. 80,000 for miner works in the area.

Exploitation of Construction Labour

1227. SHRI KRISHAN LAL SHARMA: Will the Minister of LABOUR be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the plight of the construction workers is of an exploited lot;

(b) if so, Government's reaction thereto;

(c) whether Government are aware of the seminar held on the 2nd July, 1991 in Delhi on the subject; if so, the issues discussed in the seminar and what action Government propose to take in this regard?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR (SHRI PABAN SINGH GHATOWAR): (a) to (c) The suggestions for a Central legeislation for improving the lot of the constructoin workers and the points raised at the seminar held on 2nd July, 1991, at Delhi which *inter-alia* provides for setting up of Tripartite Construction Labour Boards, are under consideration of Government.

Subletting of Government Accommodation in Kali Bari and Mandir Marg

1728. SHRI RAM NARESH YADAV: SHRI DAVID LEDGER:

Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that most of the Type II Government quarters in H-Block, Kali Bari and J-Block, Mandir Marg, New Delhi have been let out;

(b) whether any enquiry has been conducted in this regard;

(c) if so, what is the number and details of the quarters found fully let out; and

(d) whether any action has been taken against the guilty allottees on the basis of this enquiry; if so, the details thereof and if not, what are the reasons therefore?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI M. ARUNACHALAM): (a) During the last two years, complaints about subletting of 24 quarters in 'H' Block Kali Bari and 'J' Block Mandir Marg, New Delhi were received.

(b) Yes, Sir.

(c) and (d) Surprise inspections were carried out in 19 out of these 24 quarters. After detailed enquiries, subletting was found proved in 10 cases. Consequently allotment of these government residence were ordered to be cancelled and further penalties were imposed as provided under the Allotment Rules.

Complaints Registered with C.P.W.D. Enquiry Office Sector II, Mandir Marg, New Delhi

1729. SHRI RAM NARESH YADAV: Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) what is the number of complaints registered with CPWD Enquiry office, Sector II, J-Block Mandir Marg, New Delhi for the change of window panes, windows and doors and re-flooring of kitchen in the J-Block Government Colony Mandir Marg, New Delhi-1;

(b) since when these complaints are pending with CPWD enquiry office;

(c) what are the reasons for not attending to the complaints by the enquiry office promptly;

(d) whether Government have received any complaint on 1st May, 1991 regarding the above genuine problems of the allottees; and

(e) if so, what are the details thereof and what action has been taken in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI M. ARUNACHALAM): (a) and (b) The information is given below:—

Nature of complaints	No. of complaints	Pending since
(i) Change of window panes.	77	April 91
(ii) Replacement of doors/windows	110	Feb. 91
(iii) Re-flooring of kitchens	3	June 91

(c) (i) Glass panes were not readily available in stock in the Central Stores of the CPWD and action has been taken to purchase the same locally from the market.

(ii) Replacement of a large number of door/window shutters involves substantial expenditure, and therefore the work could not be carried out under the normal maintenance due to shortage of funds. Special sanction of the competent authority is to be taken for the purpose.

(iii) The work of the re-flooring of kitchens has since been taken up.

(d) and (e) The reply to parts (a), (b) and (c) include the details of the complaint received on the 1st May, 1991 and the action taken thereon.

Complaints about the Erratic Water Supply to J-Block, DIZ Area New Delhi

1730. SHRI RAM NARESH YADAV: Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have received any complaints from the residents of block 17, J-Block about low pressure and erratic supply of water in the said block;

(b) if so, what are the details thereof;

(c) what are the reasons for the delay in resolving the problem being faced by the residents of the area and whether it is also a fact that the supply of water in other blocks of the area is normal; if so, what are the reasons therefor;

(d) whether it is also a fact that earlier there used to be an additional pipeline for this block to ensure adequate supply of water in the area but later on it was removed by the CPWD;

(e) if so, whether there is any proposal to relay the said additional supply pipeline; and

(f) if so, by when the said pipe-line would be re-laid and if not, what are the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI M. ARUNACHALAM): (a) and (b) Complaints were received from the residents of J Block, Mandir Marg, New Delhi about the low pressure and short duration of water supply.

(c) Some Blocks of quarters in the J Block area are at a higher elevation than the other blocks due to which water reaches the overhead tanks in the former blocks at a low pressure. Because of this, the overhead tanks take considerable time to get filled, leading to reduction in the duration of actual supply to individual quarters. This problem becomes acute during the summer season due to overall